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The News in Brief

RISTMAS DISPLAYS—The Albany Theatre has a very al Nativity scene displayed in one of its poster windows bany Firemen are completing their outdoor display which s Santa Claus and his reindeers on the rooftop—and a planning and work is evident in its construction. . . .

land Nursery is displaying atiful life-like nativity scene, has attracted hundreds of ors during past years. . . . bany Times is proud of its sation piece," a very ab- Xmas tree artistically de- and constructed of drift The tree was exhibited at ldren's Hospital Festival of last weekend at the Clare- Hotel. The Times' window s a small mobile which fea- Christmas theme. (A mo- an experiment in space and and can become most habit .) . . . The Albany Re- Department is responsible three on Albany Hill and Freedom Shrine plaza at So- d Key Route Blvd.

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THDAY FETE (jg)—How- uis Hardie celebrated his irthday with a party held at the home of his parents, d Mrs. Lawrence J. Hardie, 5 Curtis St. Young guests g the happy occasion in- Barbara Kennedy, Mike ws, Linda Connors, Mark Sally Kimball, along with 's sisters, Margaret Iris ura June. A highlight of the was the arrival of Santa with gifts for everyone. d is the only grandson of and Mrs. Louis J. Hardie of

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ISTMAS FOR NEEDY— lbany Christmas Committee cently completed plans for tion of toys and baskets of the needy families of the nmett Devine, chairman of mittee, stated that the num- persons who will need help ar is greater than in any re- ar. He also stated that con- ns received this year from ious organizations and in- ls are about equal to those ious years. However, since re a larger number of needy additional funds are need- are now being accepted at sonic Aye.

Basketball Clinic Set for Schools

The annual winter basketball clinic held under the supervision of the Albany City Schools recreation department will again be held this year at the Albany High Gymnasium for elementary school students from the fourth through the eighth grades, according to Bert Griffin, Director of Physical Education and Recreation.

The ball clinic will open on Monday, December 21, and be held through the Christmas holidays and the six succeeding Saturdays in January and February. The dates for the clinic are the Monday, Wednesday and Thursday before Christmas and the Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday following Christmas. The six Saturdays will start on January 2 and extend through Saturday, February 13.

The fundamentals of basketball will be taught at this clinic to be held from 10:00 in the morning to 5:00 each afternoon, with inter-squad games being played. This program will be a general one, and emphasis will be placed on team play, sportsmanship as well as the techniques of basketball for all the elementary school children enrolled. Also pictures of great athletes, sports events, and similar subjects are scheduled as part of the program.

Craige Ortlieb, basketball coach of Albany High School, will be in charge, assisted by the recreation directors Kenny Roberts, Don Davey, Jim Tucker, Larry Ragle and Paul Copel during the holidays. On the scheduled Saturdays after the Christmas holidays, Ortlieb will continue in charge and will be assisted by one director. The other directors will be assigned to regular school playground work.

The Albany School playgrounds will all be closed during the Christmas holidays but will be on the regular scaedule on and after January 4th.

VFW XMAS PARTY—Albany Post No. 2658, VFW and its Auxiliary will hold its annual Christmas party for children of members and their guests at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Veterans Memorial Building. Santa Claus will be on hand with present for the youngsters, and refreshments will be served. A group of talented performers from Jean's Dancing School will provide the entertainment.

Eagles to Fete Children Sunday

Eagles will present their annual Christmas party for the Eagle Children at Cornell School Auditorium Sunday with festivities starting at 2 p.m.

Chairman Bert Townsend has announced that Santa Claus will be present to greet the children and present each with gifts.

A very nice program has been arranged with Ed Howell, Alameda County administrator as master of ceremonies. Howell will introduce the various program events in addition to presenting Santa to the little "Eaglets."

Monday evening the Eagles will observe their regular annual Tom and Jerry night with the evening's program dedicated to all past presidents of the local Aerie. In addition, all members who have been Eagles for 20 years or over will be presented with gold pins. Merit awards will also be presented to local Eagles who have been outstanding in their service to the Aerie. Frank Iredale, past president will be chairman for the evening.

Junior Chamber Endorses Center

The Albany Chamber of Commerce today has gone on record as approving the civic center site at Solano and Evelyn Aves and building program as proposed by four of the five City Council members.

In an open letter to the citizens, the Junior Chamber said "we have become increasingly aware of the necessity for adequate city buildings. Much controversy has developed as a result of the efforts of the majority of the City Council to institute a program to fill this need. We of the Junior Chamber have thoroughly studied the problem with regard to arguments pro and con.

"Our argument exists for only one purpose; that is, for the betterment of youth and the community in which they reside. It is keeping with this purpose the we strongly recommend that you join with us and give your active support to the development of much needed public properties in Albany."

Baptists to Present Christmas Program

The Sunday School Department of the First Baptist Church will present an outstanding Christmas program beginning at 7 p.m. Sunday at the church, 1319 Solano Ave.

The young people's orchestra will open the program playing "A Carol Fantasy," followed by songs, recitations and skits featuring 60 young people in the nursery, beginners and primary departments.

The junior department will present the play, "The Christmas Story," with the use of color effects and large 7 by 7 foot paintings, a new method of character presentation in this area.

The public is invited.

Bicycle Registration Begins Here Saturday

The 1954 bicycle registration will begin at 8 a.m. Saturday at the Albany Police Department, it was announced today by Juvenile Officer Robert Bahl.

Bicycles may be registered from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily with the exception of Sunday and Monday, Bahl said. The annual fee is 50 cents and the deadline for signups is March 1.

The 1954 tags feature green numerals and a white background, Bahl said 1000 bikes were registered during the past year and an equal number is anticipated for 1954.

Deadline Nears in Legion Tree Contest

There's six shopping days left 'til Christmas but only three remaining to enter the American Legion sponsored outdoor Christmas Tree decorating contest which closes on December 20.

Prizes of $15, $10, and $5 will be offered with winners announced on December 27.

Entries may be mailed or delivered to Chairman James A. Sartain, at 929 Key Route Blvd., Albany.

Judging will based on beauty and originality and only one entry may be submitted from each home.

The Legion will hold its annual Christmas party following the regular business meeting tonight at the Veterans Memorial Building. The Past Commander Ritualistic team will induct 19 new candidates.

Rites Held for Fred Higuera

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon for Fred J. "Ted" Higuera, prominent Albany resident for many years, who died Monday in a Walnut Creek Hospital after a short illness. He was 50.

A native of Napa, Mr. Higuera was owner of the Arrow Trucking firm in Berkeley. He made his home in Albany until recently when he moved to 937 Carol Lane, Lafayette.

He was a member of Albany Lodge 686, F. and A. M.; a past master of Standard Lodge 440, F. and A. M. in Richmond; Albany Chapter No. 550, OES, and the Oakland Traffic Club.

Survivors include his widow, Ethel; a daughter, Mrs. Lorraine E. Slan of Walnut Creek; a son, Ronald J. of Lafayette; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anselma Higuera of Albany. He was the brother of Mrs. Evelyn Weisshand of Albany and O. Higuera of San Francisco, and the grandfather of Carole and David Slay.

Services were conducted from the Ellis-Olson Mortuary with Albany Lodge 686 officiating. Private committal services followed.

Santa to Visit Druids Saturday

Santa Claus will pay his regular visit to Albany Druids, Circle No. 120 at a dinner to be held in his honor 7:30 p.m. Saturday, at the Maccabee Hall, 985 Kains Ave.

The dinner will feature both ham and turkey with all the traditional trimmings, and decorations will consist of holly berries and spruce and a decorated tree.

Mrs. Jane Van Ness is general chairman of the Christmas fete, and her assistants include the Mesdames Marie Crozier, Thelma Goss, Bessie Jacoben, Elizabeth Trottier and Caroline Matthew.

The program will feature Christmas songs by Mrs. Myrtle Willhite, Mrs. Joan Haris, and the trio and community singing. Santa will pass out gifts before his departure.

St. Alban's Topic

"Jeremiah Prepares the Way for Christ" will be the sermon topic of the Rev. John H. Blacklidge at the 11 a.m. service of morning prayer Sunday at St. Alban's Church. Holy Communion is celebrated at 7:30 a.m. and the family worship service is held at 9:15 a.m. The Junior Choir will hold a manger service at 4 p.m.

City Sets Gala Holiday Program

The Albany Recreation and Park Department has planned an extensive holiday program designed to serve both young and old during the Christmas vacation, from December 18 to January 4.

The annual Christmas party for pre-school children will be held today. Santa Claus will be present to distribute gifts, and refreshments will be served following the program.

Emmett Devine, superintendent, has announced that the playgrounds will be open from 9.30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily, with programs of activities to include sports, games and handicrafts. In addition, special Christmas programs will be held on each playground.

Codornices Community Center will remain open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday; Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. A special Christmas program will be held Tuesday, December 22 at 11 a.m. featuring moving pictures, a visit from Santa, and a special treat for each boy and girl.

Methodists to Give Christmas Pageant

"What Can I Give Him?" will be the title of the colorful Christmas Pageant to be presented Sunday Evening at 7:30 p.m. by the Sunday School of the Albany Community Methodist church for the general public. This presentation will include a cast of over 100 children, youth, and adults in songs, tableaus, and dramatic episodes. Every department of the church school will be participating.

At the morning service at 11 a.m. the Church Choir will bring selections from the Sacred antata, "The First Christmas," by Barnby. Rev. Dougles H. Henderson, the paston will speak on the theme, "The Social Message of Christmas." A nursery is furnished. The cantata is under the direction of Mrs. Claire McGaw.

Fireman Freddy Says

When putting up your Christmas tree provide a switch some distance from the tree for turning tree lights off and on. Don't plug or unplug lights beneath the tree.

PROPOSED CIVIC SITE BLOCKED MOMENTARILY

Council Must Repeal Action Or Let Voters Decide Issue

Councilwoman Mrs. Kathie Zahn today has presented the Albany City Council with a referendum petition with 1032 signatures—77 more than necessary to block the purchase of six lots at Solano and Evelyn Aves. at the proposed civic center site location.

This marks the fourth petition presented by Mrs. Zahn during the past four years to block proposed moves by the Council.

The Councilwoman launched her referendum action shortly after November 20 when the Council approved a motion to purchase the land, and it requests that the matter be submitted to the voters for their acceptance or rejection at an election to be determined by the Council.

This referendum action leaves the Council with three alternatives. They may rescind their November 20 action, call a special election at an estimated cost of $3500, or put the question on the ballot at the regular municipal election on April 13.

A majority of the Councilmen previously indicated that they would call a special election in the event Mrs. Zahn was successful with her petition. They maintained that the Evelyn and Solano Ave. lots were the last large area available for the proposed civic center and that the property might not be available on the open market at the time of the April election.

The Council voted November 20 over the objections of Mrs. Zahn to purchase the property at a cost of $33,500 but withheld final action pending the outcome of her referendum. The property would be purchased with a $35,000 capital outlay fund set aside in the city budget for that purpose.

Mrs. Zahn objected to the purchase of the lots on the ground that it was too expensive, that it is a poor location and that a civic center and city hall could be built at the present location.

The Councilwoman said after the Monday night meeting, however, that if a special election is voted by the Council, she will ask "the commissioner of the Real Estate Division of the State of California to look into the land transaction."

Mrs. Zahn declared "I am confused about this real estate deal, by all the motions and options and am particularly interested to know why there has been such a rush to get this deal completed. I want to make sure that the people of Albany are getting a square deal."

The other four Councilmembers stated in a letter published last week that "it is our sincere aim to provide for the citizens of Albany a Civic Center that they will be proud of and yet one that will not have any needless frills or cost any more than necessary. We feel that you as citizens and taxpayers should know what we are planning for the

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Albany Theatre to Stage Benefit Show

The ABC Chapter of Children's Home Society will be the recipient of net proceeds from a Christmas benefit show tonight at the Albany Theatre.

Some 50 students of Jean's Dancing School will be featured in a stage show, in addition to the regular movie bill which includes "The Actress," with Spencer Tracy and Jean Simmons, and the companion feature, "City of Bad Men," starring Jeanne Crain and Lloyd Bridges.

A repeat performance of the show will be given at the children's Saturday matinee with proceeds going to a local charity to be selected by the Berkeley Motion Picture Council.

St. Nick to Visit Eagle Women Tues.

Santa Claus has scheduled a visit to the Albany Eagle Auxiliary Christmas party to be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the social hall at Albany Community Church, Marin and Stannage Aves.

A short business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Elverna McDougall, president, followed by the party and the exchanging of gifts.

Mrs. Florence Zack is in charge of the entertainment and decorations, assisted by the Mesdames Ida Raymond, Gladys Lewis, and Peggy Holder. Mrs. Dora D'Asquith is in charge of refreshments and her committee of assistants include the Mesdames Thelma Goss, Ethel English and Peggy Aguavo.

The Christmas basket project chairman is Mrs. Isobel De Maria, assisted by Mrs. Donahue and Mrs. Lola Astrog.

First Baptist

The Rev. A. O. Odegard will speak on the words of John, "We Beheld His Glory" at the 11 a.m. service Sunday at the First Baptist Church. Special Christmas music will be sung by the choir.

Times to Publish Early Christmas

The Christmas editions of the Albany Times and Hilltop Mirror will be distributed to homes early Wednesday morning, offering a wide variety of gift selections for last minute shoppers. Display advertising copy must be in our office by 5 p.m. Friday (today). Editorial copy and classified ads will be accepted through 5 p.m. Monday.

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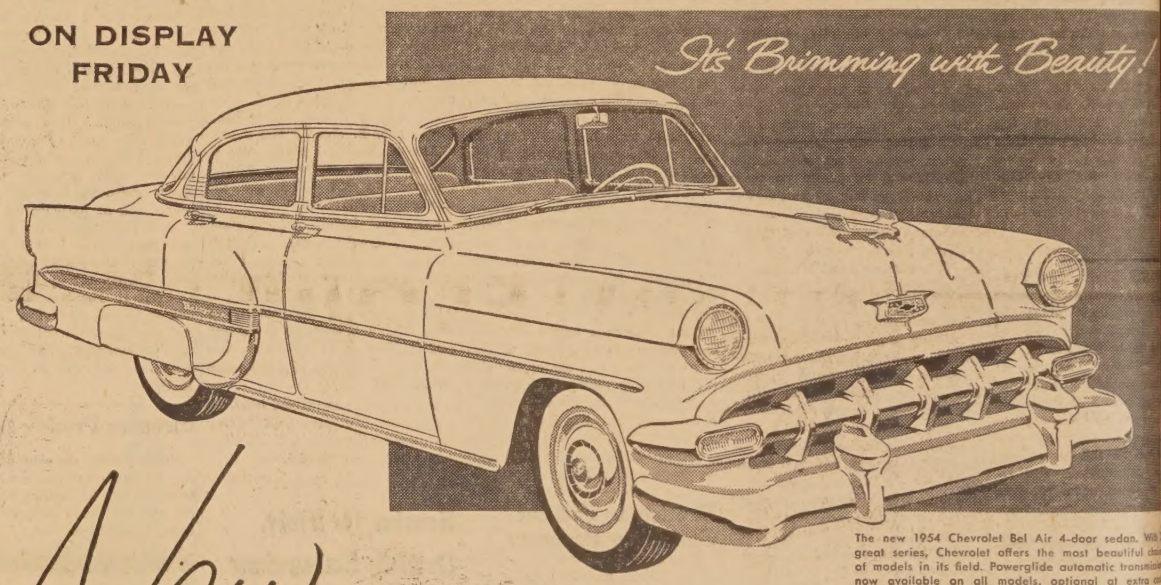
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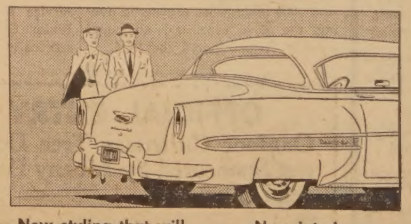
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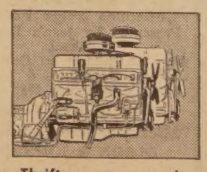


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Services Held for Frank H. Means

Funeral services were conducted December 11 for Frank H. Means, 823 Curtis St., who died in an Oakland hospital Tuesday following a long illness.

A native of Iowa, Mr. Means resided in Albany 18 years and five years prior to that in Berkeley. He worked as a building contractor many years before he retired. He was a member of Berkeley Odd Fellows Lodge No. 270.

He is survived by his wife, Coral; two sons, Ralph Means of Santa Maria and Haven Means of South Dakota; a daughter, Agnes Etiner of Iowa; two bandsons, and a stepson.

Last rites were held at Ellis-Olson Mortuary, with the Rev. Douglas Henderson of Albany Community Methodist Church officiating.

Christ Lutheran

Concluding the Advent season this Sunday, Rev. George Muedeking will speak at the 11 a.m. service on the topic, "Coming, Ready or Not!" The annual Christmas caroling of the Luther League of the church is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Monday.

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BELL PEPPERS — Green — Lb.	5¢

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More About Civic Center Site

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future growth and development of your community."

The Council approved a motion to purchase the land after a very thorough survey was made to select a suitable location and on unanimous recommendation of the Planning Commission.

The Solano and Evelyn site was selected, Councilmen said, because it is approximately the geographical center of Albany, that it is the only suitable land obtainable, that all city departments could eventually be located in a centralized location and that it would remove the Police and Fire Departments from the very heavy traffic conditions of San Pablo Ave.

Previous referendum petitions presented by Mrs. Zahn stopped installation of parking meters for city revenue in 1949, stopped a proposed change to a city manager form of government in 1950, and stopped the establishment of a city administrator's office in 1952.

Republican Women Draft 1954 Plans

The executive board of the Albany Council of Republican Women drafted plans for the coming year at a dinner meeting this week at the home of Mrs. Ruth McNair.

Program dates and speakers will be announced at a later date, according to Mrs. Nan C. Paulson, president.

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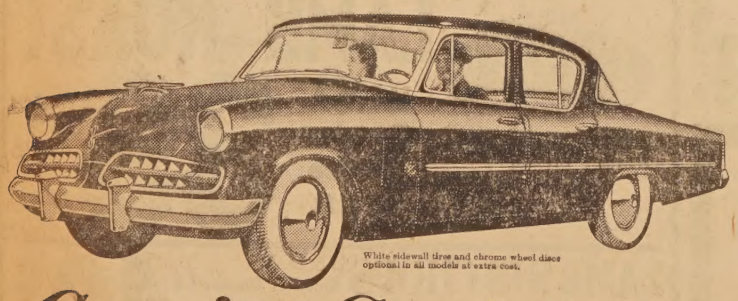
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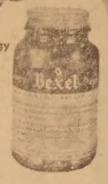


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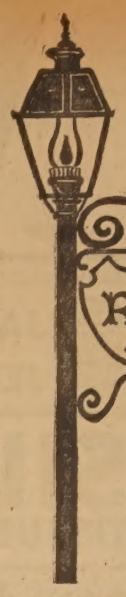


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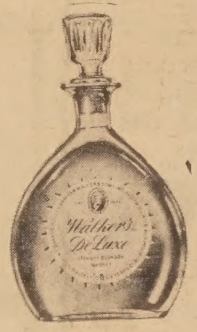
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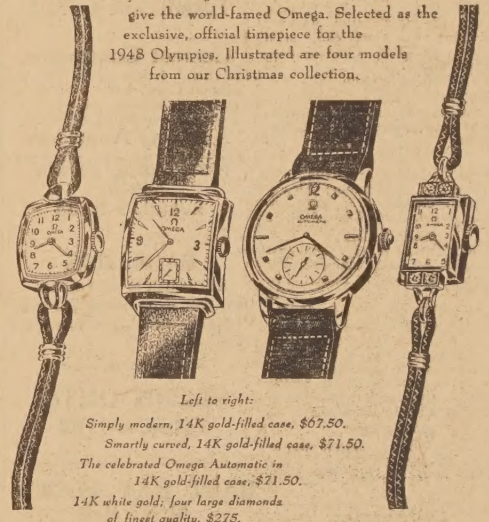


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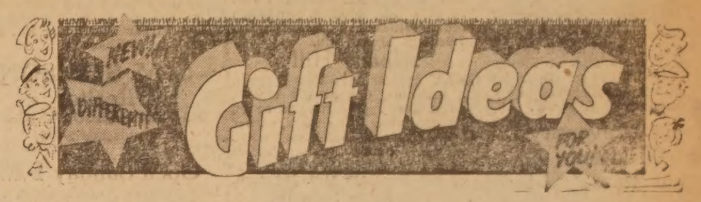
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